

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Hiroyuki Oya, et al. :
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PCT/JP2004/017565 :
For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
DETECTING DIRECTION OF MEMBER :
HAVING OUTER PERIPHERY :
FORMED IN VERTICALLY :
ASYMMETRICAL SHAPE :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified national phase application in accordance with the amendments and remarks as set forth herein.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of this document.

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